रुग्ण घोषित किया जा चुका है । अत: गोरखपुर एकक सहित एफ सी आई के लिए किसी पुनरूद्धचार पैकेज का इस संबंध में मूल्यांकन किया जाएगा । इसलिए, इस स्थिति में संयंत्र के संचालन के लिए कोई समय सीमा निर्धारित नहीं की जा सकती ।

Sindri fertilizers factory

1341. SHRI GAYA SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering any proposal to increase production capacity and to modernise the fertilizer factory of Sindri under Fertilizer Corporation of India Limited;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether any other proposal for improving this factory is under Government's consideration?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) and (b) The Fertilizer Corporation of India (FCI) is implementing a revamping scheme for Sindri unit at an estimated cost of Rs. 16.23 crores, including a provision of Rs. 10.078 crores for revamping of their Captive Power Plant, on which an amount of Rs. 4.46 crores has already been spent. FCI has also a scheme for modernising their Sindri Plant by installing molicular sieve in air separation unit and other such measures at an estimated cost of Rs. 33.34 crores. FCI had also cent a proposal to instal a new Captive Power Plant of 2x19 MW capacity at an estimated cost of Rs. 142.64 crores. In view of the budgetary constraints and hi her priority for other revamping mea-su,e. for FCI. it has not been possible to take up the new Captive Power Plant.

(c) FCI has since ddeclared as sick by the Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR) under the sick Industrial Companies (Special Provisions) Act. 1935. The Government has requested BIFR to allow time upto 30.9.93 for submission of rehabilitation/ revival package for FCI, including its Sindri unit. Any final decision on the proposal for increase in production capacity of the Sindri unit involvig major budgetary support can be token only after finalisation of rehabilitation/ revival package, deliberations of BIFR thereon and availability of funds tar the purpose.

Implementation of Molasses Decontrol Order in U.P.

1342. DR. NAUNIHAL SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Cen tral Government have been asked by the Uttar Pradesh Government not to implement the order of immediate do-contro of molasses and alcohol, it so, the reasons advanced by the State Government;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the Central Government are considering to withhold the implementation of the mo lasses and alcohol decontrol order in Uttar Pradesh State, if so, the reasons thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that the implementation of the decontrol of molasses and alcohol in the State would result in a large revenue loss of Rs. 400 crores to! Rs. 500 crores, if so, the details thereof; and

(d) what is the manner in which Government propose to compensate such a huge revenue loss to the Uttar Pradesh State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) The Uttar Pradesh Government suggested deferment of the implementation of the decision of decontrol of molas. ses and alcohol on the plea that the State would have problems in meeting their contractual obligations for supply of country liquor.

(b) No. Sir.

(c) and (d) The question of the State incurring suchh large revenue losses on account of decontrol has not yet been substantiated.